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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AFTER FINAL Honorable Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA .22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated

April 6, 2006, the time for reply has been extended for one (1)

month from <u>JULY 6, 2006</u> until <u>AUGUST 6, 2006</u>. Because

<u>AUGUST 6, 2006</u> is a <u>SUNDAY</u>, the due date is automatically extended until Monday <u>AUGUST 7, 2006</u>, and please amend this patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on Page 8 of this document.